

JUSTITIA- VIRTUAL LEX FIESTA 2021

26th -29th OCTOBER, 2021



INAUGURATION

We at GIBS constantly strive to create newer opportunities for the benefit of students and faculty teaching as part of a larger obligation to educate society. The college organized its 1st edition of The Virtual LexFiesta – ‘JUSTITIA 2021’ from 26th October to 29th October 2021. Justitia was a curated event thatintended to provide an excellent platform to students of all backgrounds to showcase and develop a multifaceted personality to face the real world.A galaxy of young creative minds of India's most reputed law colleges/universities participated in different events which are designed in an all-inclusive manner touching all facets of academic spectrum.

This 4 day fiesta comprised of some fresh and traditional set of competitions carefully designed for the growth of the mind of a law student in particular, where one’s legal skills are tested in the following events:

Mediation Competition
Debate Competition
Youth Parliament
Law Olympiad

Justitia 2021 was inaugurated offline on 26th October 2021 in gracious virtual presence of our Chief Guest Prof. (Dr.) S.Surya Prakash, Hon. Vice-Chancellor, DamodaramSanjivayya National Law University, Visakhapatnam.

Day 1 –MEDIATION COMPETITION

Mediation Competition at Justitia took place on 26th and 27th October, 2021 and saw participation of 20 teams from various Legal Institutes nationwide. Institutes from various states came together online to showcase their mediation skills.

All the participants prepared for their session on the Mediation Proposition provided by the Organizing Committee. The propositions dealt with the questions of Family Law in the Preliminary and Semi Final Round and the proposition for the Final round revolved around consumer grievances.

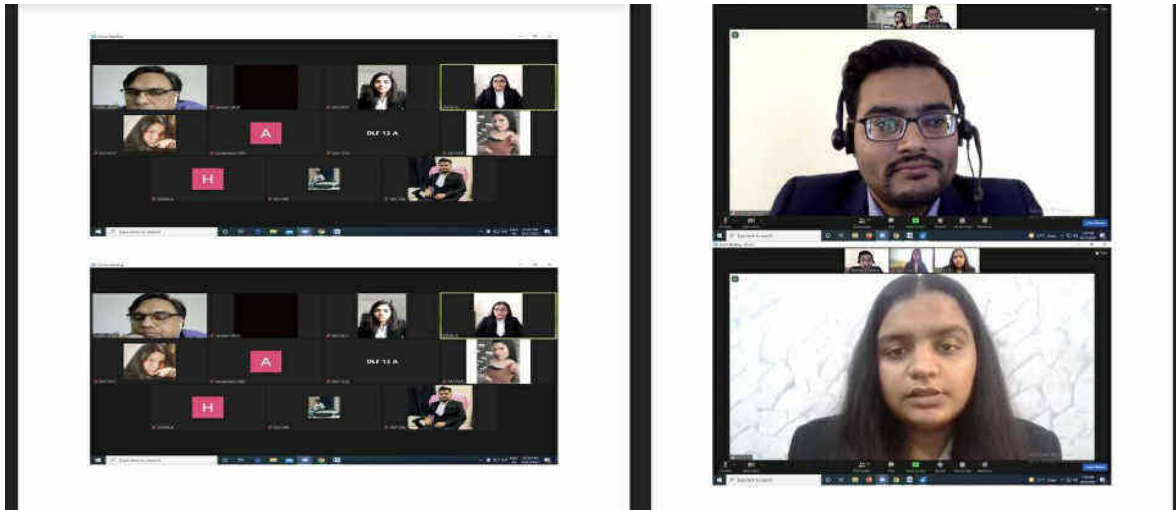
There were 2 preliminary rounds of 45 minutes each. Top 4 teams out of 20 qualified for the Semi-finals that lasted for a whole 60 minutes.

After the declaration of the result, final 2 teams received their proposition and clashed in the final Round, bright and early on the second day. Hon'ble Judges for the final round were **Prof. Nachiketa Mittal**, Professor & Director at Faculty of Law, Jagran Lakecity University, **Prof. (Dr.) Kanupriya**; Professor & Associate Dean, Sushant University and **Amit Saxena**, Joint Secretary, Delhi High Court Bar Association, Mediator, Delhi High Court Mediation Centre. After 90 minutes of skilful Mediation, the mediating team from NLU Delhi bagged the Best team prize and the team from OP Jindal Global University was awarded the Runner Up Award. The Best Mediator was named from the team of University School of Law and Legal Studies and the Second-Best Mediator was named from the team of NarseeMonjee Institute of Management Studies. The Best mediating pair was from OP Jindal Global University and the Second-Best Mediating Pair was from NarseeMonjee Institute of Management Studies.

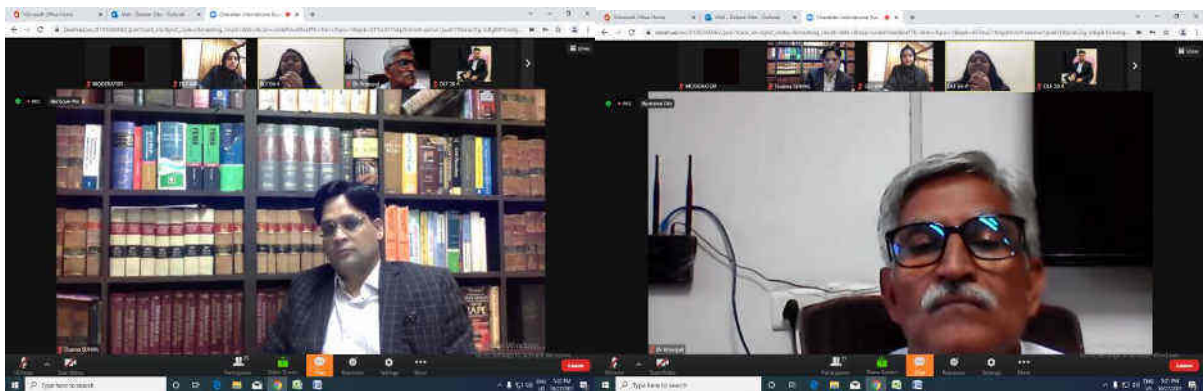


Day 2 – DEBATE COMPETITION

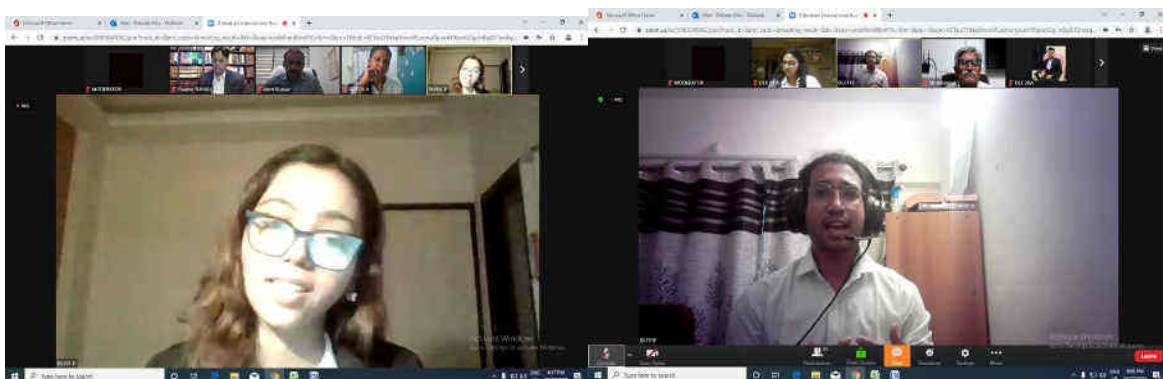
The Debate Competition was organized on October 27th, 2021, with the participation of 24 teams from various Legal colleges and institutions around the country. The teams from various states battled online on the pre-selected topics which were provided by the Organising Committee beforehand to all the teams.



The topic of preliminary round was Data protection laws in India- Security v. Privacy, that was assessed by Hon'ble Dr.Gurmanpreet Kaur Assistant professor, RGNUL, Adv. Abhinav K. Mishra, Advocate HC & SC, Dr. Gurjit Singh Assistant professor GGSIPU, Adv. Ishita Sharma, Advocate, HC & SC.



The topic for the final round of debate competition was Artificial intelligence over Human Intelligence. 9 teams out of 24 qualified for the final round which was respectively judged by Dr.Amarpal Singh, Dean, USLLS GGSIP university, Advocate Osama Suhail and Dr. Amit Kamboj, Registrar, DR B.R Ambedkar National Law University.



Winners of Debate Competition :-

1. CHETNA GOUD	BEST SPEAKER AGAINST THE MOTION
2. DEV NAIDU	BEST SPEAKER FOR THE MOTION
3. ANIHA SHROFF	SECOND BEST SPEAKER AGAINST THE MOTION
4. AUMKAAR SANE	RUNNER UP TEAM AWARD
5. NEHA KHULE	RUNNER UP TEAM AWARD
6. BHOOMIKA KUMAR	SECOND BEST SPEAKER FOR THE MOTION
7. SMRUTI DHOOT	BEST TEAM AWARD
8. RAUNAKNENWANI	BEST TEAM AWARD

Day 3 - LAW OLYMPIAD

Law Olympiad at Justitia took place on 28th October 2021 and 66 individuals from various Legal Institutes nationwide participated in the event. The competition comprised of 100 multiple-choice questions from various areas like Current affairs, The Indian Contract Act and The Indian Constitution, Criminal Law, Family Law, Property Law, and Logical Reasoning, to be solved in 1 hour. The exam was proctored through online invigilation.

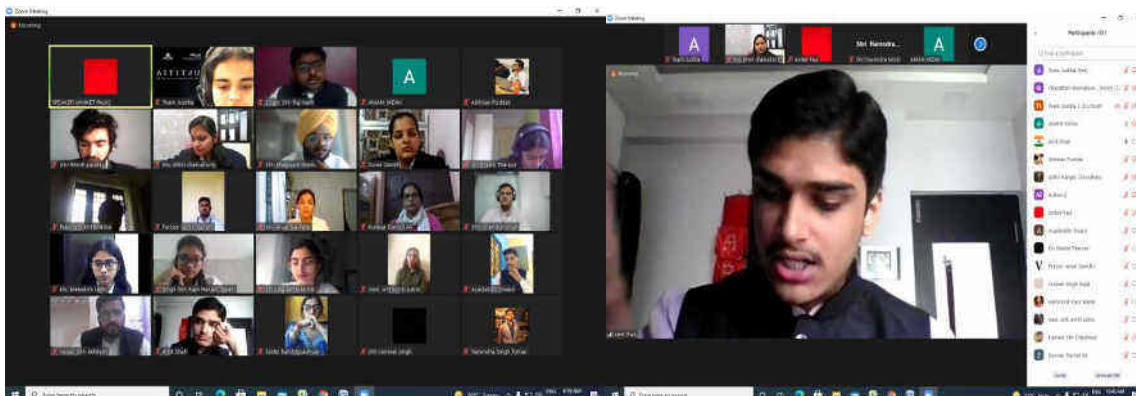
Riya Phogat from Kurukshetra University was declared as the Top Scorer and Ishani Kanwar from University Institute of Legal Studies as the Second Top Scorer.

YOUTH PARLIAMENT

With a view to strengthening the roots of democracy, inculcate healthy habits of discipline, tolerance of the views of others and to enable the student community to know something about the working of Parliament, youth parliament was conducted on 28th and 29th of October, 2021 at Justitia. We witnessed the participation of 40 delegates from various legal institutes nationwide .

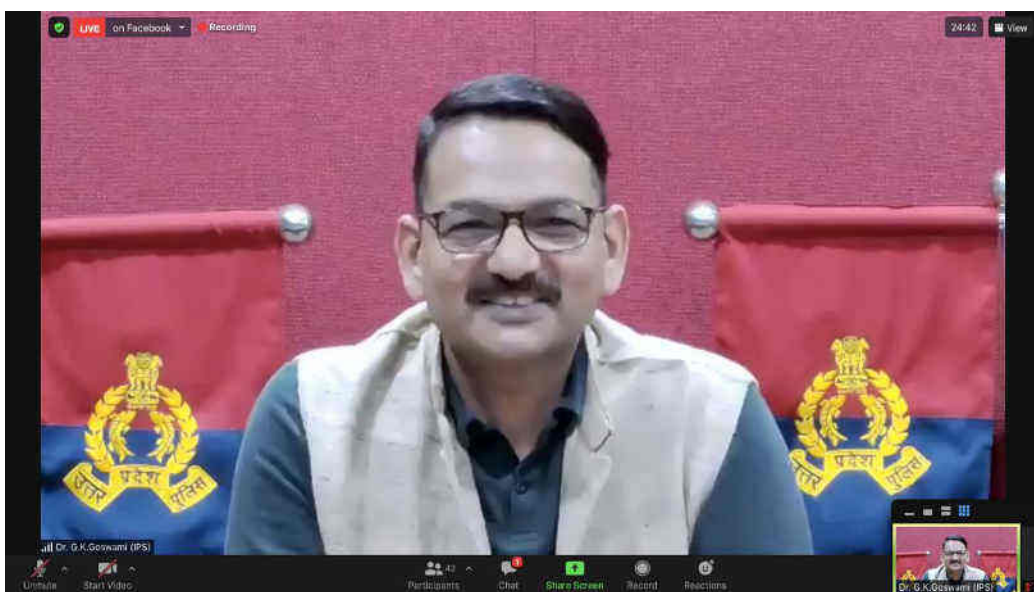
All the delegates were provided with their portfolios according to the 17th Lok Sabha, and a review committee was held for the event. The Agenda for the parliament was to review the Indian Agricultural act of 2020.

The first day of the event started with roll calls of the participants as the portfolios allotted to them, followed with their opening statements and public session. Further the last session of the day which was question hour, took place which concluded the day in the presence of our executive board.



The second day started with the zero hour followed with the informal session in which the executive board was there for evaluation without interruption. Later on the day the session for drafting commenced and to conclude the day the closing statement by the speaker was given , with which adjournment of the house took place.

The Best Parliamentarian award was bagged by Anirudh Bharadia from Amity Law School. High Commendation award was won by Rishita Aggarwal from Delhi University. 1st Honorable Mention was given to KrinaK.Sanghvi from Christ (Deemed to be University) And the 2nd Honorable Mention was given to Shubh Naik from Gujarat National Law University, Gandhi Nagar. Executive Boards Mention was for Yashika Manchanda from Amity Law School, Gurugram and Harsimrat Kaur from St. Soldier Law College, Jalandhar.



After 4 days of an intense display of the marvelous skill of the participants, Justitia ended with the Valedictory Ceremony on 30th October, 2021. The valedictory ceremony was graced by Dr. GK Goswami, IPS, Chief of ATS, Uttar Pradesh as the Chief Guest. After an enlightening speech from our Chief Guest the winners of the various competitions were felicitated. The event ended with vigor and galore.

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